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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2001,
please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Rewrite claims 37 and 43 as follows:

37. (Once Amended) A client connected to a server for
providing electronic commerce services to receive the
electronic commerce services, comprising:

an order transmitting device for transmitting an
order for a product on the electronic commerce in response to
an input by a user to said server through a communication
network, receiving from said server trading information
including a trading identifier associated with said order and
data on the contents of said order from said server, and
storing said trading information in a storage device;

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